

In the Claims:

- 1.(original) An odour-reducing sheet divided into a plurality of tear-off pieces, wherein the sheet comprises a non-woven, air permeable fibrous material which carries an odour-adsorbing material selected from carbon, a zeolite, titanium dioxide, zinc oxide, aluminium, and mixtures thereof.
- 2.(currently amended) An odour-reducing sheet according to ~~as claimed in~~ claim 1, wherein the odour-adsorbing material comprises particulate activated carbon.
- 3.(currently amended) An odour-reducing sheet according to claim 1 ~~as claimed in any of claim 1 or 2~~, wherein the odour-adsorbing material is present in the sheet in an amount of at least 5%(w/w) of the total weight of the sheet.
- 4.(currently amended) An odour-reducing sheet according to claim 1 ~~as claimed in any of claims 1 to 3~~, wherein the odour-adsorbing material is present in the sheet in an amount of no more than 60%(w/w) of the total weight of the sheet.
- 5.(currently amended) An odour-reducing sheet according to claim 1 ~~as claimed in any of claims 1 to 4~~, wherein the odour-adsorbing material comprises a binder arranged to inhibit or substantially avoid shedding of the odour-reducing material from the sheet.
- 6.(currently amended) An odour-reducing sheet according to ~~as claimed in~~ claim 5, wherein the binder is present in the sheet in an amount of at least 5%(w/w), of the total weight of the sheet.
- 7.(currently amended) An odour-reducing sheet according to claim 1 ~~as claimed in any preceding claim~~, wherein the sheet comprises polyester, polyamide, cellulosic or polyamide fibres, or a mixture thereof.

8.(currently amended) An odour-reducing sheet according to claim 1 ~~as claimed in any preceding claim~~, wherein the sheet is divided into a plurality of tear-off pieces by perforations.

9.(currently amended) An odour-reducing sheet according to claim 1 ~~as claimed in any preceding claim~~, wherein the sheet is of area in the range 0.4-1.2m² and is divided into a plurality of tear-off pieces each of area in the range 400-1000cm².

10.(currently amended) An odour-control kit comprising an odour-reducing sheet according to claim 1 ~~as claimed in any preceding claim~~ and a resealable plastics closure, and optionally adhesive strips and at least one clothes hanger.

11.(currently amended) A method of reducing odours using an odour-reducing sheet according to claim 1 ~~as claimed in any of claims 1 to 10~~, or of portion(s) thereof, the portion(s) having been torn from the sheet, the sheet or portion(s) thereof being disposed at a locus in which the unwanted odours are present.

12.(currently amended) A method according to ~~as claimed in~~ claim 11, wherein the odour-reducing sheet or portion(s) thereof are used in one of the following ways: placed under a mat, rug or carpet; placed under or over a mattress; placed in a pet basket; placed in a laundry basket; placed in luggage before storage; placed in a car footwell or car boot; placed under a fitted chair or sofa cushion; placed inside an item or footwear, for example a shoe or boot; used to line a drawer; placed in a plastics closure with items requiring deodorising; or fashioned into a shroud-like cover inside which a jacket, coat, suit or trousers are placed.